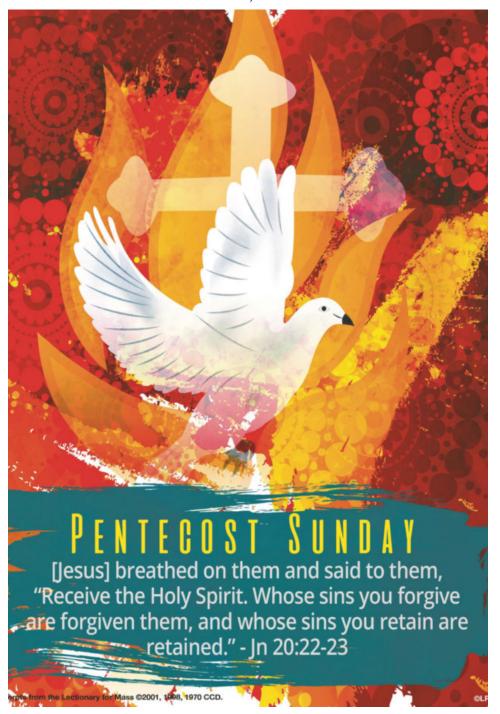
# GOOD SHEPHERD CATHOLIC CHURCH

#### MISSION STATEMENT:

Good Shepherd Catholic Church is a diverse parish community; guided by the Holy Spirit into One Flock, following Jesus Christ, Our Good Shepherd, to live and proclaim the Word of God. **We Value:** Life Long Faith Formation, Sacramental Devotions, Evangelization, Community Service, & Social Justice.

JUNE 5, 2022





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**Confirmation Preparation Coordinator:** 

Elizabeth Pott

Director of Youth Ministry: Gonzo Duran

#### **MASS SCHEDULE**

Saturday: 5:00 pm Vigil

Sunday: 7, 9, & 11 am; 1 & 5 pm

Weekdays: 8:30 am First Saturday: 9:30 am

Swahili Mass: First Sunday at 2:30 pm Spanish Mass: Fourth Sunday at 7:00 pm

#### DISTRIBUTION OF HOLY EUCHARIST

Sunday: 10:00-10:30 am in the Hall

#### **EXPOSITION OF BLESSED SACRAMENT**

Wednesdays: 5:45 - 7:00 pm

First Friday: After Morning Mass - 3:00 pm

#### **RECONCILIATION**

Saturday: 3:00 - 4:30 pm Wednesday: 5:45 - 7:00 pm

#### **PARISH OFFICE HOURS**

Mon, Tue, Thur, Fri: 8:00 am - 3:00 pm Closed for lunch 12:00 - 1:00 pm Closed Wednesdays

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# JOIN US FOR A RIVER CATS GAME

We are excited to invite everyone to join us for a River Cats game on **Friday**, **June 24th** at 6:35 pm. Admission tickets are \$15 each (a GREAT price) and must be purchased through the parish office. Don't wait! We have a limited supply of seats available in our reserved section along the third base line. Please contact the parish office to purchase.

#### 9TH ANNUAL VOCATIONS BENEFIT DINNER

Please join Bishop Jaime Soto and the Knights of Columbus Council No. 11236 on Saturday, June 18th for an evening of fellowship, fun and a delicious dinner to support our future priests & religious! This benefit dinner will raise funds to support our Diocese's seminarians and others contemplating a call to the religious life. The evening will include



dinner with the Bishop and with the seminarians, silent and live auction, and a lot of fun and fellowship. For more information please contact George Bagley, Chapter Vocations Chair, at 707-372-4913.

\$50 Individual Ticket - \$350 for a table of 8

Thank you to everyone who picked up a tag from the giving tree in the narthex! If you haven't already, please turn your donations in to the church office as soon as possible. Your generosity will go to supporting seminarians and others discerning a vocation in the Diocese of Sacramento. Volunteers are also needed to make this dinner a success! Check our website to see how you can help.

#### PILGRIMAGE WITH FATHER MICHAEL

Join Father Michael Vaughan for "Our Lady of Guadalupe," a pilgrimage to Mexico City and other sites in Mexico from August 8-16, 2022. Check our website or call Susan at 916-203-8765 or email sugonzales@msn.com for more information.

## HOLY GHOST CROWN IN PENTECOST DISPLAY

Thank you to Mr. & Mrs. Daniel Silva for the use of Holy

Ghost crown in our altar display for Pentecost. At Pentecost we celebrate the descent of the Holy Spirit on the disciples of Jesus after his Ascension. This crown is a part of Portuguese-Azorean culture symbolizing the Holy Ghost, more commonly called the Holy Spirit. During the Pentecost season,



Portuguese communities hold Holy Ghost festivals centered on Mass, the Holy Spirit and the miracle of St Elizabeth, the 14<sup>th</sup> century Portuguese Queen who's deep faith in the Holy Spirit aided her to feed and help the poor.

#### HEARING AID DEVICES

Hearing aid devices and disposable earbuds are available in the Narthex on a table next to the Sacristy for individuals needing assistance in hearing the liturgy during Mass. These devices are connected to the Sanctuary sound system. At the end of Mass, please return the device for cleaning and keep the disposable earbuds for your use at subsequent Masses.

#### WHEELCHAIRS AVAILABLE

The Knights of Columbus have several wheelchairs available. If you or a family member are in need of a wheelchair, please contact the parish office. The wheelchairs are free to those in need.

#### **UPCOMING EVENTS**

June 5: XLT/Adoration @ 6:30 pm

June 9: St. John Caregiver Support Group @ 10:00 am in Youth Room

June 9: Holy Spirit Novena Ministry @ 11:30 am in Youth Room



#### **READINGS & OBSERVANCES**

#### **READINGS FOR THE WEEK**

Sunday: Vigil: Gn 11:1-9 or Ex 19:3-8a, 16-20b or Ez 37:1-14 or Jl 3:1-5/Ps 104:1-2, 24, 35,

27-28, 29, 30/Rom 8:22-27/Jn 7:37-39.

Extended Vigil: Gn 11:1-9/Ex 19:3-8a, 16-20b/Ez 37:1-14/Jl 3:1-5/ Ps 104:1-2, 24,

35, 27-28, 29, 30/Rom 8:22-27/Jn 7:37-39

Day: Acts 2:1-11/Ps 104:1, 24, 29-30, 31, 34/1 Cor 12:3b-7, 12-13 or Rom 8:8-

17/Jn 20:19-23 or Jn 14:15-16, 23b-26

Monday: Gn 3:9-15, 20 or Acts 1:12-14/Ps 87:1-2, 3 and 6, 6-7/Jn 19:25-34

Tuesday: 1 Kgs 17:7-16/Ps 4:2-3, 4-5, 7b-8/Mt 5:13-16

Wednesday: 1 Kgs 18:20-39/Ps 16:1b-2ab, 4, 5ab and 8, 11/Mt 5:17-19

Thursday: 1 Kgs 18:41-46/Ps 65:10, 11, 12-13/Mt 5:20-26

Friday: 1 Kgs 19:9a, 11-16/Ps 27:7-8a, 8b-9abc, 13-14/Mt 5:27-32 Saturday: Acts 11:21b-26; 13:1-3/Ps 98:1, 2-3ab, 3cd-4, 5-6/Mt 5:33-37

#### **OBSERVANCES FOR THE WEEK**

Sunday: Pentecost Sunday; St. Boniface, Bishop and Martyr

Monday: Blessed Virgin Mary, Mother of the Church; St. Norbert, Bishop

Thursday: St. Ephrem, Deacon and Doctor of the Church

Saturday: St. Barnabas, Apostle

#### MASS INTENTIONS

#### **SATURDAY, JUNE 4**

5:00pm Roger Geach (+)

#### **SUNDAY, JUNE 5**

7:00 am Benjamin Sandoval (DA) 9:00 am Julio Millare (DA) 11:00 am James Francis Pivec (+) 1:00 pm Patricia Mood (SI-H) 5:00 pm James Francis Pivec (+)

#### **MONDAY, JUNE 6**

Patricia Buchanan (SI-H)

#### **TUESDAY, JUNE 7**

Femia Caliw-Caliw(+)

#### **WEDNESDAY, JUNE 8**

Medardo Bejarin (+)

#### **THURSDAY, JUNE 9**

Dr. Guillerma Naval-Sahagun (+)

#### **FRIDAY, JUNE 10**

Nelda Matias (DA)

**Key:** Deceased (+) Thanksgiving (TG) Death Anniversary (DA) Birthday (BD) Special Intention (SI) Wedding Anniversary (WA) SI-H) Special Intention for healing

#### THIS WEEK WE WILL REMEMBER IN PRAYER:

Birthday: 6/7: Joshua Pulanco; 6/9: Nona E. Orozco

Thanksgiving: 1pm 6/5: Gore family

**Special Intention for Healing:** <u>11am 6/5-7:</u> Salud Linsangan

**Anniversary:** <u>7am 6/5:</u> Louis and Carolyn Valmore; <u>6/8:</u> Manuel and Maria Lucero

**Death Anniversary:** 6/4: Sean James Refe; 11am 6/5: Alicia Villa; 6/9: Denise Rodriguez (1 year);

6/10: Harold Bain

**Repose of the Soul:** All Masses: Rosalind Schenck, Jose Estrada Jr.; <u>5pm 6/4</u>: Caridad Dino, Domingos Fagundes, Gretta Nannery, Jerald Schimetz; <u>7am 6/5</u>: Conrado and Estela Gunabe, Alfred and Helen Lial; <u>9am 6/5</u>: Linda Fernadez, Katherine Marie Smith; <u>11am 6/5</u>: Denise Rodriguezz; <u>6/7</u>: Manuel and Tina Marquez; <u>6/9</u>: Maria Fagundes, Edgar Genato, Arsenio Sahagun

#### SCHEDULING A MASS INTENTION/PRAYER REQUEST

If you have a Mass intention or prayer request, please contact the parish office (either by phone or email) to confirm that your requested Mass time is available **BE-FORE** submitting payment in the collection basket or through Faith Direct. If you do not contact the office first, we can not guarantee that your intention will be added to the requested Mass.



#### DO YOU SPEAK STEWARDSHIP?

If you are married, I'm guessing that you know the best way to break bad news to your spouse, whether you realize it or not. Maybe it's simply that you know not to talk about the budget after your wife's football team has lost. Maybe you know your husband will take the news that your sister is coming to stay a little easier if you tell him over his favorite dinner. We do the same thing with our children, our friends, our coworkers — we have all learned the language of the people we love.

The truth is the same in every language, but it's important for us to convey that truth graciously. That's what Pentecost teaches us. The gift of being able to speak in tongues afforded the Apostles a practical skill to spread the Gospel message, but it also served as a powerful symbol of the importance of effective communication. Evangelization can only happen when you're speaking in words a person is able, ready, and willing to hear.

Let's ask ourselves: what is the language we need to speak to share the truth with the person who is standing in front of us? Is it the language of quality time? The language of concern? The language of laughter and friendship? The language of authenticity, of plain talk and frankness?

The Holy Spirit gave the Apostles the ability to speak in tongues, and it seems miraculous when we read about it in the Gospels — but only consider that we all have this same ability, in a certain way. The Holy Spirit can and will show us how to speak the truth, if we only ask.

Tracy Earl Welliver, MTS

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#### **MEMORIAL DAY**

We celebrated Memorial Day last Monday with morning Mass followed by a a special Memorial Day Program in the Meditation Garden and Narthex.



Thank you to all of our veterans who have sacrificed to serve our country!

If you have a loved one currently serving in the Armed Forces or that is a veteran, and would like to include them in the photo display in the narthex, please contact the parish office.





Thank you for your support of our St. Vincent de Paul Society! **We currently can not accept any more clothing.** SVdP has funds available for utility assistance for our 95757 and 95758 residents. For assistance please call (916) 647-1243. Food distribution is on Monday mornings from 9:00 –10:00 am. In observance of the Memorial Day holiday, there will not be food distribution on May 30.

Thank you for your generosity as we continue to serve greater and greater numbers of people in need!



#### YOUTH MINISTRY

All high school and middle school teens are invited to attend our youth ministry events. For more info and to RSVP for these events visit thegroveyouthministry.com. There's lots of fun planned for the summer!

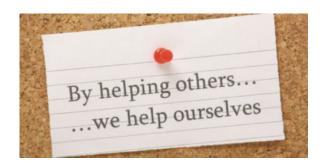
#### **UPCOMING EVENTS:**

- June 5—XLT/Adoration (at Good Shepherd)
- June 6—Community Service/St.
  Vincent de Paul (all teens at Good Shepherd)
- June 10- Serve this Summer (middle school at St. Maria Goretti)

# REAL PRESENCE, REAL LIFE: GOSPEL MASS AND EUCHARISTIC PROCESSION

Sunday, June 19, 10:00 am at the Cathedral of the Blessed Sacrament Bishop Jaime Soto will kick off the Diocese of Sacramento's participation in the National Eucharistic Revival. The faithful will commemorate Corpus Christi, the Eucharistic Revival, Juneteenth, and Father's Day. This celebration starts with a Gospel Mass and will end with a traditional Corpus Christi procession and Eucharistic Blessing from Bishop Soto. Bring the whole family as we celebrate the real presence of Christ in the Eucharist and the many blessings that Christ's presence brings to our everyday lives, in particular our Heavenly Father's promise of freedom and liberty for all!

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#### **STEWARDSHIP**

WEEKLY COLLECTION TOTAL FOR MAY 28/29: \$28,254.58 ST. VINCENT DE PAUL: \$3,580

#### **CONSIDER ONLINE GIVING**

Can't find your checkbook or envelope on Sunday morning? Join the parishioners who are using Faith Direct for automated giving. It's secure and convenient and there is no cost to you. This program provides a great benefit to our parish. Just visit faith.direct/CA688 or text 'Enroll' to (916) 439-8801. Thank you for your continued support of our parish family.

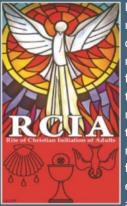


**ALTAR FLOWERS** are a wonderful way to bring beauty to the Mass in honor of a special occasion or in memory of a loved one. If you would like to donate flowers for the altar or help arrange flowers on Friday afternoons, please contact the church office for more information. **This weekend's beautiful flowers are donated in loving memory of Jacinto Yamzon.** 

#### GIVE GLORY TO GOD IN THE BEAUTY IN OUR CHURCH

Are you looking for a way to get involved? Join the Arts/ Environment Ministry as we plan the liturgical calendar for our sacred spaces. Now is the perfect time to learn more. We will review the Church's teachings on sacred environment and plan our calendar for the year. If you have a special eye for art, flower arranging or no experience at all, we can use your help on our team. Contact the church office at gsccoffice@frontier.com to sign up and be notified of our first meeting coming soon.

# INTERESTED IN BECOMING CATHOLIC AND LEARNING ABOUT THE CATHOLIC FAITH AND TEACHINGS?



If you are from a different faith or denomination or if you were baptized Catholic but didn't study your Catholic faith, then RCIA may be for you. Rite of Christian Initiation for Adults (RCIA) prepares adults that want to become Catholic or Catholics that have not received instruction in the faith for Baptism, Confirmation and First Eucharist. Come and see and grow in your faith. A team of Good Shepherd parishioners present lessons on such topics as: God and his relationship to Man, the Bible, the

Ten Commandments, the Church, Catholic Doctrines and a variety of other faith matters. We use a variety of resources to provide engaging and inspiring lessons, address questions about God and the Catholic Church, reflections on faith, and what God wants for you.

Register now – Classes are held weekly after the 9:00 am Sunday Mass and will begin in August. Registration forms are available online at https://gscceg.org/formation/rcia-sacrament-preparation-adults or contact Carlos or Valerie Ramos at rcia@gscceg.org.

#### **CFF NEWS**

Mark your calendars! Children's Faith Formation online registration will begin on **July 5, 2022** and will close on August 26, 2022. Registration for the 2022-2023 catechetical year will be online only through our website, www.gscceg.org.

#### SACRAMENTO CLASSIC

The annual Sacramento Classic Priests/Seminarians basketball game will be June 28 at Christian Brothers High School. Tipoff at 7:00 pm. All proceeds benefit seminarian formation. Tickets can be purchased at www.scd.org/basketball.

#### QUO VADIS RETREAT

Discernment retreat for boys ages 13-17 on August 5-7 at Trinity Pines Catholic Center. Boys will learn about priesthood, diaconate and married life. There will be time for fellowship, games, Mass, adoration and more! Download forms and register at www.scd.org/quovadis.

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